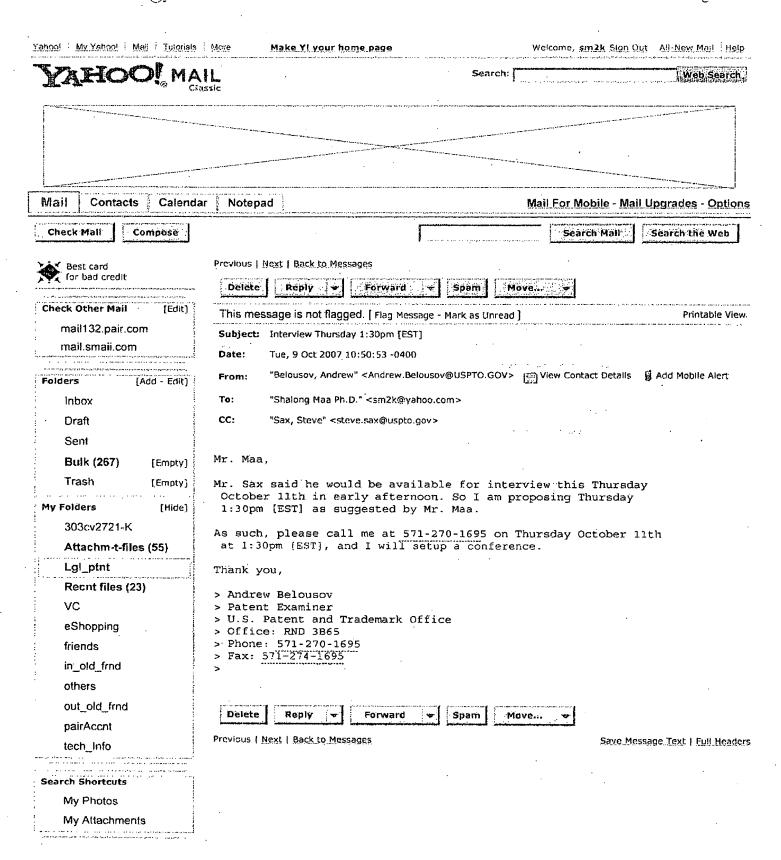
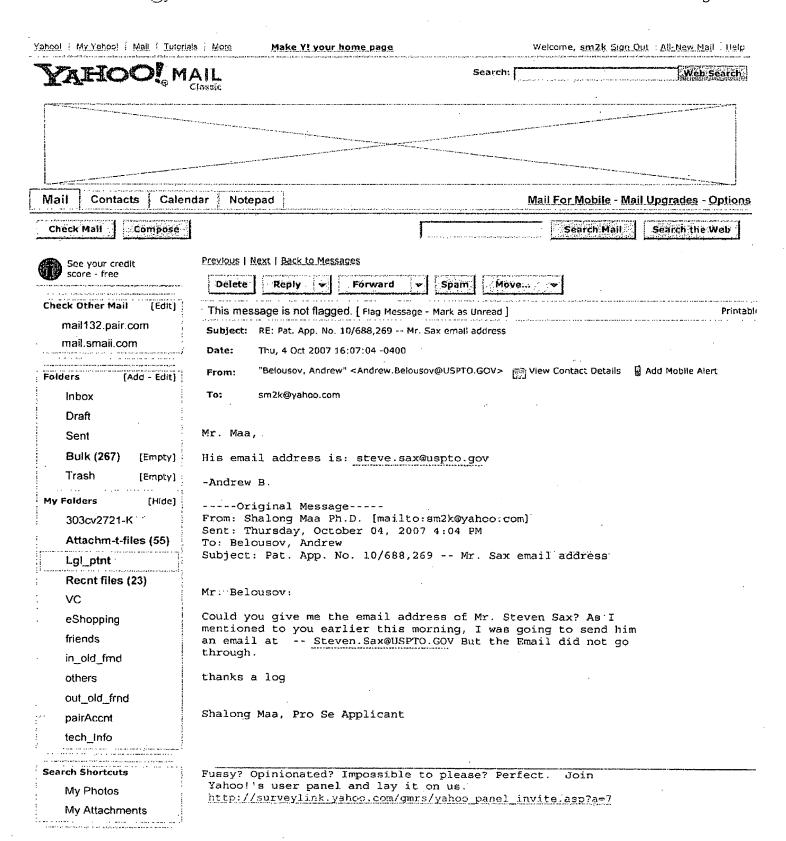
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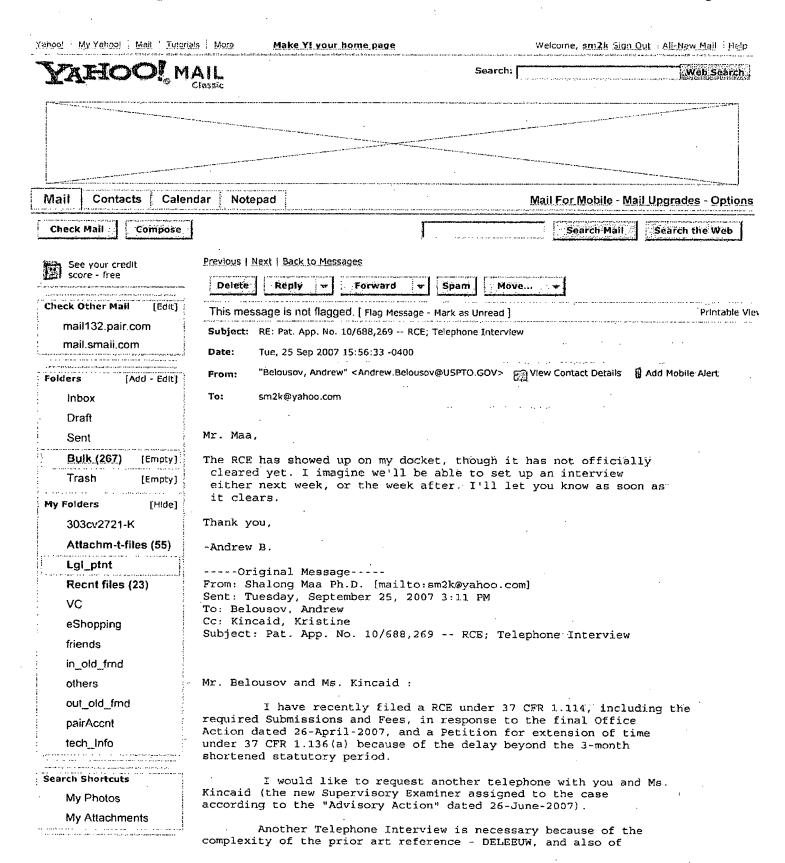
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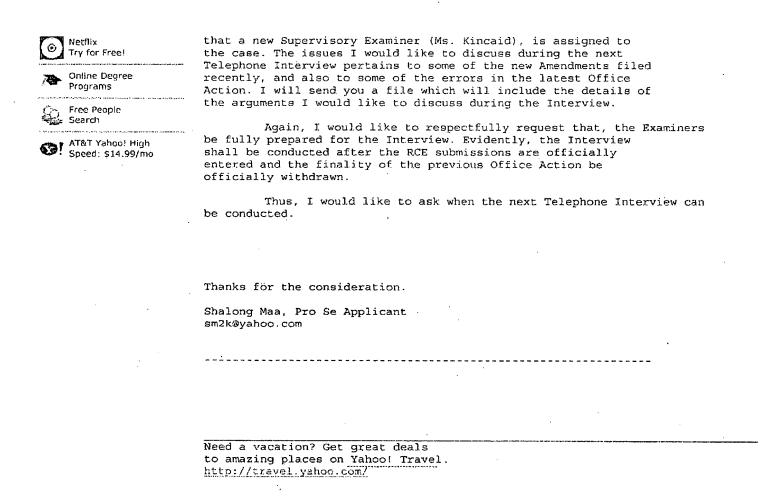


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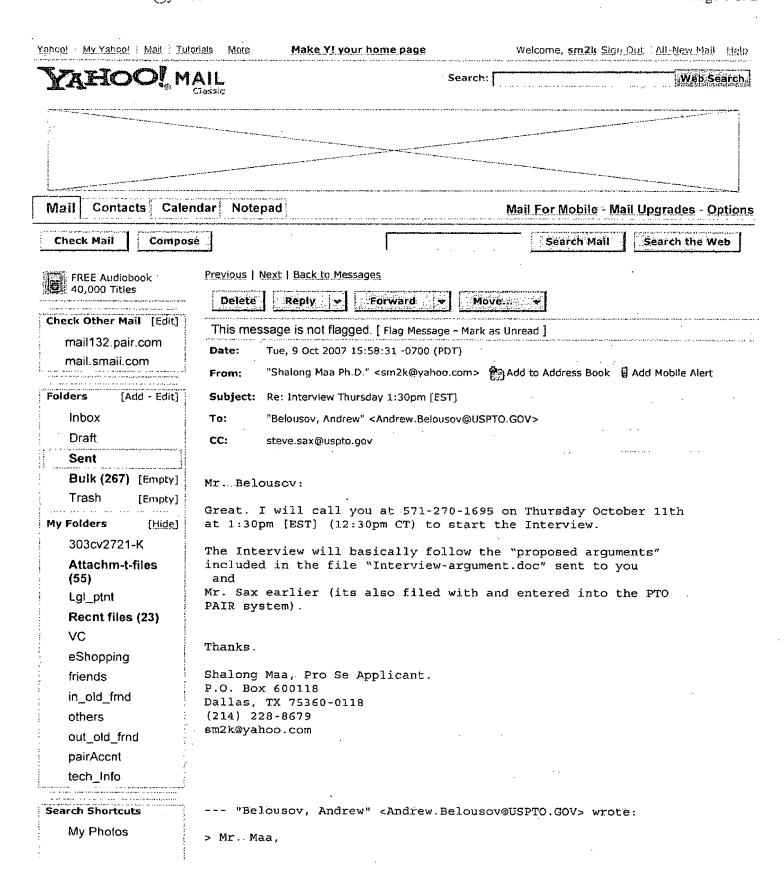
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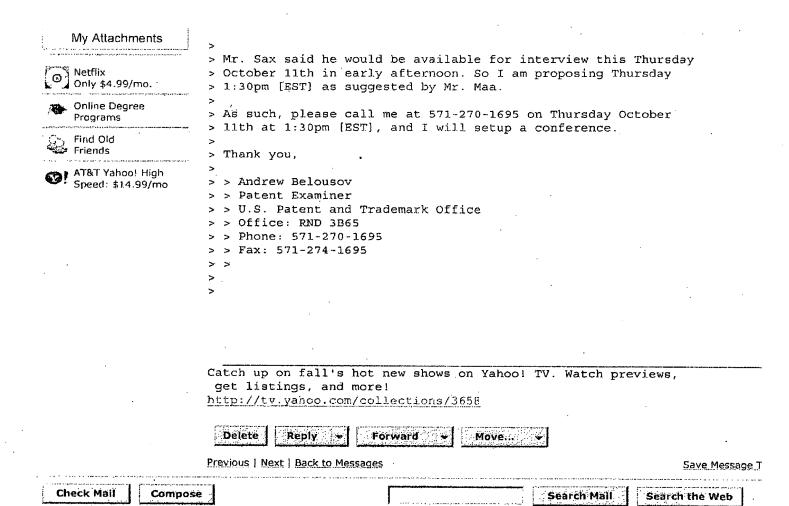
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to the Telephone Interview I would like to have with the Examiners. Earlier today I talked on the phone to Mr. BELOUSOV, the Examiner officially assigned to the case, who informed me that you are (now) the Primary Examiner assigned to the case and is the person who will conduct the telephone interview (which will probably be on Thursday or Friday of next week). PLEASE GIVE ME A BRIEF REPLY to confirm this. (My estimation is, the Interview will be about 90 minutes. I will contact Mr. BELOUSOV regarding the actual time and other details of the Interview).

The "ARGUMENTS" I would like to present during the Interview are

included in the file "Interview-argument.doc" (MS-Word),

is attached to this email and which includes detailed guidelines and technical analysis of the relevant portions of DELEEUW (the primary prior art reference), so as to make it as convenient and easy as possible for the Examiners to get familiar with the technical issues involved. Please go over it and the relevant portions of the prior art ref. mentioned therein before the Interview. AGAIN, I WOULD LIKE TO RESPECTFULLY REQUEST THAT, the Examiners be fully prepared for the Interview (The Interview can be conducted whenever the Examiners are fully ready) since its already at this very late stage of the prosecution.

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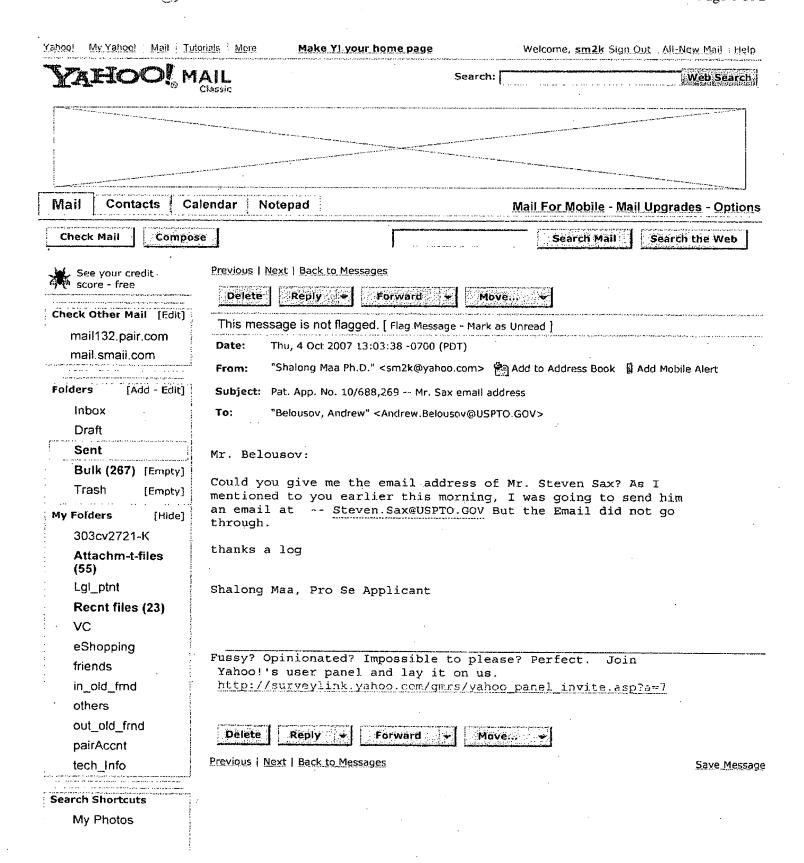
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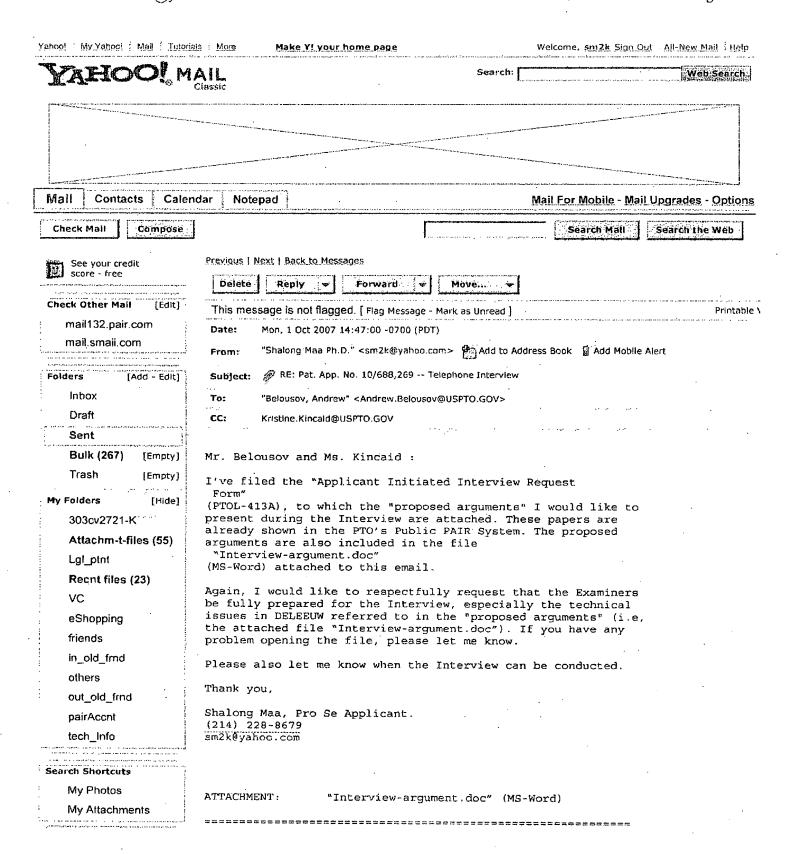
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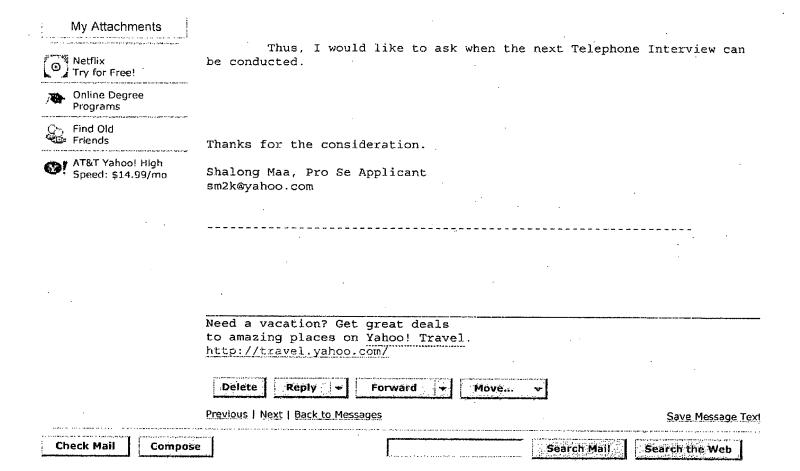




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